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## HOUSE TO RUSH **ACTION ON NEW** DRAFT MEASURE

Rules Committee Will Give Bill Right of Way Next Monday.

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ged status to the Senate draft quota giving is the right of way Monday.

it was explained that the rule would mittee that the draft quota fight would not be staged in the House until next

Chairman Dent of the House Military Committee offered to-day a resolution calling for a special rule to make priv- Marching Columns Halt While Two Senate Bills Introduced leged various bills wanted by the War separtment. His proposal is to give the dilitary Affairs Committee right of way mill War Department legislation shall have been passed.

out at the War Department classificawill life and in which they can render the monotone effective aid to Uncle Sam.

Special training schools for increasing the effectiveness of the skilled branches of the service will be open with the state of the service will be opened within the and 150,000 men in this th's draft assigned to them for inpartment, engineer work, bricklay-

## Where First Will Be Sent.

The vanguard of these men, number-500 men from Minnesota; Lewis estitute. Chicago, 200 men from Illi-ois, University of Minnesota, 500 men from Minnesota; Pennsylvania State. 189 from Minnesota: University of hisburg, 320 men from Minnesota; niversity of Wisconsin, 400 men from owa Northwestern University, Chicago, 100 men from Illinots; Rahe Automobile and Tractor School, Kansas City, 500 from Iowa: Sweeney Automobile Kansas City, 500 men from Iowa. We are pitting American effective ness against German efficiency." said C. Kramer, one of Gen. Crowder's assistants, arranging for "We believe we can take an American youth with a grammar school four or five months. men will be separated as they enter education committee the training brought ook of the country with the prospecwar needs of the nation and weld in a strong factor in our milltary effectiveness. schools will be opened as

### rapidly as need for them is felt. Farmers Not to Be Taken.

Men will not be called in the new one on the farms, it is said. boards have been directed to fill their Class 1 as determined by the naregistrant is engaged all the crop producing work. In such wances the call to the colors will be defected as long as he continues in his farm occupation and can be spared un-

dilitary necessities. expedient which may be per is that of granting furloughs of several weeks or months to men em particularly in the wheat raising The furloughs will be granted in instances where the military

zanization is not affected or disor- feet of Experts in the Food Administrator's a KILLED IN AIRPLANES' CRASH prisonment and \$50,000 fine—are pro-ture are engaged in making a survey of Experts in the Food Administrator's the country to determine sections where farm labor will be needed greatest this

The results of the inquiry will turned over to Gen. Crowder There will be no sudden withdrawal areat numbers of men from the ranks idustrial enterprises or farming re said an officer in Gen. Crowder's The men will be drawn in such

Men in deferred classes as well as men in Class 1 will be selected in small umbers either on account of their tech have the opportunity to acquire them."

## U. S. TROOPS WILL BE SPEEDED TO FRANCE **EVEN ON FOOD SHIPS**

Every Available Vessel to Be Pressed Into Transport Service-New Points of Embarkation Will Be Established.

ROWDER AIDS FARMERS

Special Despatch to The Sus.

Washington, April 3. — American from Chile. The ship pooling committee has assigned a number of steamships to this work because of the importance of this work because of the importance of this work because of the importance of the everything that floats." This was the Will Grant Laborers Fur
Was the mitrate supply. Although the use of sailing ships will mean great delay, it has been decided in view of the emer
Marshall Board Will Speed Up Specious Argument Made by House at which the President presided gency to relieve these steamships.

and Australian troops.

Tonnage Statistics Submitted.

House at which the President presided and which concerned itself aimost exclusively with the question of reenforcing the battle from in France.

Special Training.

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Great Britain and France, it now appears, regard the despatching of troops from this country in the largest possible and that as a result of Secretary Baker's which the President presided and which concerned itself aimost exclusively with the question of reenforcing the battle from this solution of the pears, regard the despatching of troops from this country in the largest possible and that as a result of Secretary Baker's which the question of reenforcing the pears, regarding the pears, regarding the pears, regarding the pears may be a pear of the pears of the

Acting Secretary of War Crowell for the President yet, but these are some brought with him reports from the different camps showing that troops were. That the aircraft programme is from Sparred by published statements that the War Department could wait no lighter for desired supplemental draft legislation, the House Committee on links met to-day and voted to give privileged status to the Senate draft quota A special rule will be brought in are to be pressed into service to release and not next year are to turn the scale is the right of way Monday.

Steamships for troops. This will apply against the Germans.

## not be presented before that time because of an agreement among certain members of the Military Affairs Com-NEAR TO BATTLE FOR NEW POWER

Men Write Brief Letters Home.

to Give Government Supreme Control Over Shipping.

American vessels, coastwise or oceangoing : to prescribe in any United States

Another clause of the bill would em-

ages, courses and use of protective de-vices and any other matters affecting navigation, equipment, fueling, painting and arming, of America.

and arming of American vessels, and

Restrains Private Charters.

American juriediction would be prohibited from chartering any foreign ves-sel without the President's approval, or

to import or export goods exceeding

1,000 tons in weight on terms requiring the seller and buyer, respectively, to

war or, if he should deem shipping

regulations.

The second Fletcher bill, relating to

ownership of vessels, would penalize, during the war, the sale, transfer, lease

or charter of vessels owned in whole or

American citizens and others within

to exclude vessels from danger zones.

power the President to

Under the plans now being worked NEW EQUIPMENT ISSUED ENEMY PLAN DETECTED

April 3.-While the activity among the ships, shipping rates, docks and termi-American Expeditionary Forces for move- nale has been asked of Congress by the self study. The schools will cover ment toward the battle line continues, Shinping Board, and is proposed in two one of the units which will go to Picardy bills introduced to-day by Senator one of the units which will go to Picardy bills introduced to-day by Senator Aircraft Production Board will be recame to a temporary halt to-day to com. Fietcher (Florida), chairman of the organized by the President as soon as ng, wood and engine work and similar plete preparations for battle. New Commo equipment was issued to the men, and with Chairman Hurley. their rifles, guns and machine guns were. The President would be authorized by

men come are: New York University of the halt to write home, for it probably of the halt to write home, for it probably will be the last real good chance they will have to do so for some time. Many of the men marched to-day through men from Illinois; University of Chicago, 100 men from Illinois; University of Chicago, 100 miles of tree men marched to-day through miles miles of tree men marched to-day through miles of tree men marched to-day through miles instantaneous work.

Many of the men took the opportunity of the half to write home, for it probably will be the last real good chance they will have to do so for some time. Many the law creating the Shipping Board.

Interpolation of the President made public to-day explains what is at fault and how it believes and terminal facilities in one should be corrected.

To-morrow the Aeronaulkal Society of the law creating the Shipping Board. just faintly green with newly budding Women and children disspring leaves. tributed flowers to the singing and whistling marchers at many points. Americans stuck the bouquets in to muzzles of their rifles or in their hats.

### HEAVY GAS ATTACK **MADE ON AMERICANS** Projectiles and High Explosive Shells Fired All Night.

Ry the Associated Press. WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE. April 3 — American troops on a certain prescribe "rates, terms and conditions" sector other than that in the region of under which American vessels may be Toul have been subjected to an extraor-chartered, one of the bills would authordinarily heavy gas attack. (Part of ize him to disapprove existing charters, despatch deleted.)

The attack began last night and conof vessels: to prescribe freight rates for

The attack began last night and cona highly intensive basis.

aim is to coordinate the big Mingleil with the gas projectiles sent over by the Germans were shells of high port "rates, charges and terms for dock

explosives
The Germans energetically shelled the bunkering of vessels" and rentals of American line and batteries northwest docks and terminal facilities. It also of Toul last night and this morning, employing minnenwerfers at some places. In view of the intensity of the bombardment it is surprising what little

damage was done.

The visibility being extraordinarily good this morning. American observers eaw long lines of German artillery entering the enemy sector far in the German sirplanes, which attempted to oss the American lines to-day, brought and retired hastily.

## his MYSTERY PLANE AT CAMP LEE Circles Cantonment and Files

Away Without Landing. PETERSBURG, Va., April 3 .- Au plane, supposed to have come from Langley Field, near Hampton, Va., appeared to-day over Camp Lee.

The plane circled the camp at a height of \$,000 feet, volplaned to within 1,000 would be limited to six months after the would be limited to six months after the plane. earth and then flew away without landing.

Lient. Hugaenin of Wisconsin Is One of Victims.

LONDON, April 3 .- At the Lincolnshire Airdrome to-day in a ground collision between airplanes, Lieut, S. Hugaenin of the American Fiying Contingent, cently of Wisconsin; Corporal Selsert and Private Krautman were killed A fourth man was injured

Zero and Snow in Montana. BILLINGS, Mont., April 3 -Zero tem

part by American citizens without ap-proval of the Shipping Board It also provides that all ship construction contracts must receive the board's approval and prohibits clearance of American built vessels without its consent. Transfer of shares of stock in shinping concerns also would be subject to the board's consorship. Senator Fletche qualifications or for the purpose of signed to schools, where they will cral points in Montana. Snow has been the opportunity to acquire them." felling here for three days.

# AIRCRAFT WORK CZERNIN TALK BEHIND TIME TO FORCE PEACE

Delay Largely Due to Alsace-Lorraine Reference Inquiry Shows.

Changes in Specifications, by Minister Intended to Discourage France.

Austrian Statesman Based

on Falschood.

Special Despatch to Tas Stv.

were made by Austria herself.

German Political Move.

that, because I have too high an opin-ion of the President of the United States

## Production—Rumors of Shakeup.

Special Desputch to THE SEN.

This part of the survey of all the object of the survey of all

been the many changes in specifica-

That quantity production of airplanes is under way now, with the re-sult that the first requirement of our forces will be successfully met and that the airplanes called for under the second requirement will be in France

### Liberty Motor a Success. That the Liberty motor is an entire success and has been so adjudged by

the Allies.
That present indications are that American factories will be turning out bombing planes in quantities by July and will be turning out some battle

That experience has shown that battle planes can best be turned out by the foreign makers, who are prepared to adjust themselves more quickly to the changes in specifications made necessary in bringing battle planes up to date. For this reason the board believes that this country should con-centrate more on training and bomb-ing planes to supply both ourselves and the Allies and, by relieving the Allies of this manufacture, to enable hem to concentrate on battle planes.
That the Allies are either ahead of the Germans on airplane production or so near to it that this country's con-tribution in a few months will give the Allies undoubted superiority in the

The Marshall board has also arranged to speed up production and has seen to it that production shall go ahead on present plans, while a separate technical force shall at the same time engage it-self with making improvements.

Rumors are current here that ar a resuit of the situation which has arisen the SCORNS FRENCH AND Marshall board's report by mad put in first class condition. It was made the legislation to prescribe, through the should be corrected. Alan It Hawley put in first class condition. It was made sure that every weapon was ready for Shipping Board, charter and freight president of the Aero Club, in instantaneous work.

## ship and transfer of vessels, existing or , 200 Liberty Motors Shipped.

Liberty motors have been shipped which is closely connected with the gen-abroad while the Senate committee has eral political situation, said:

French army in these operations num-bers probably twenty-nine fresh divi-been hypertrating that the committee has eral political situation, said: under construction. Both bills have in explaining the new legislation. Senbeen investigating charges that none would be ready by July. More than ator Fistcher said the Shipping Board would be ready by July. More than had discovered and thwasted attempts of eaxity-five motors for combat planes were derman capital to secure control of vesturned over to be put into battle planes.

Besides authorizing the President to just as is every other war programme. whether regarding ships, guns or

would empower blin to prescribe priority of wharfage service, priority in which cargoes may be carried and direct the routing of American vessels or foreign ships under charter to American citi-Democratic candidate Cowgill. Mayor, had been elected by a plurality of more than 7,000.

### Soldiers Work Hard for "Sun" Smoke Fund

AT the close of to-night's exhibition of the "Over the Top" picture at the Lyric Theacopies of Sergeant Empey's books and his photographs will be sold, and Sergeant Empey will autograph them in presence of the purchasers.

During the intermission of the 11 o'clock performance of the Spring Revue at Reisenweber's Columbus Circle, to-night, Corporal R. Derby Holmes and Bomber Daniel McGinnis will make short war talks. To-morrow night, in Carnegie Hall, Fighting Benson will de

liver his thrilling lecture, "Back All of these men have been at the front and know that tobacco is a necessity to the soldiers The money they receive through ales and collections will come to THE SUN Tobacco Fund. Read

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the details on page 5.

# GREAT BATTLE IS HALTED; 3 TO 4 MONTHS GERMAN TRICK RENEWAL OF ATTACK NEAR; FRESH TROOPS COMING UP

Arrival of Wounded Followed Heavy Injury Inflicted by by Demonstrations

Against War.

here. The greatest significance is seen, oughly reliable account of the popular hocked to pieces, and some of them asof course, in the Austrian Foreign Min. demonstrations provoked by the growister's reference to Alsace-Lorraine, ing conviction of the failure of the great Count Czernin virtually making the offensive in France and the increasing charge that the French desire for Al- knowledge of the colossal losses sus- France, April 2 (delayed) .- The Gersace-Lorraine was the only thing that prevented informal peace negotiations tained by the Germans.

being opened some time before the westoffensive began.

authoritative, says that during his stay ful price that has been pain for the relie charge that Premier Clemetican in Prankfort, during a short part of one occupation of the Somme territory must a small village eight miles southwest of authoritative, ways that during his stay ful price that has been paid for the resought to open these by inquiring upon day, 1500 wounded, all stretcher cases, now be fully apparent to the fresh di- Arras, which had been taken the other negotiate is dismissed here as merely a reached the railroad station and were diever move to bring up the question of Alrace-Lorraine in this form. M. Clemencean has denied taking this action and it is regarded as more likely concealed long from the population and that if any approaches were made they. that if any approaches were made they after an hour or so a crowd of 4,000 stationary, and for the most part calm fight, taking some prisoners. Last night But the whole point of the present

the as seen here is the desire of the appear coincident with the military offetisive that France is being drenched in blood again merely because she wants to regain Alsace-Lorraine.

This move on Germany's part is of This move on Germany's part is of course doorned to failure for the reason that Germany, by her own acts in the last few months, has shown plainly that she is conducting a war of conquest and its not merely fighting to retain Alsace-Lorraine. The Czernin speech is likely would only injure their own to lead to some discussion, it is felt here, but no one believes for a moment that it will have any political effect in France.

On the other hand, it may give the allied statesmen an opportunity for holding up again before all the world the statesmen as no poportunity for holding up again before all the world the

## Scepticism Obvious.

ing up again before all the world the character of the Russian and Rumanian peace treaties and the absurdities of any It is noteworthy that in the Austrian claims that Germany or Austria can make that the burden of continuing the newspapers, as quoted by the news agencies, this scepticism is read-lable between the lines. The military on March 28 (4.800), critic of the Reichspost said vesterday. The Grands Reserve ORNS FRENCH AND

ITALIAN WAR AIMS

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Herlin is held that "the political obJective of the offensive is attained. The 118th
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The Forty-

should be corrected. Also II. Hawley president of the Acro Club, in g long letter to the President made public to.

day explains what is at fault and how it is hould be corrected.

To-morrow the Aeronault at Society of America is to hold a meeting in New York for the same purpose.

AMSTERDAM. April 3 — Count Czerniu.

Similarly the military critic of the loss the same writes: "For a count of the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, counted of days past the Germans have addressing a delegation from the suspended their advance because there are preparating their counter to the Fine and of the same purpose.

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"With the conclusion of peace with tumania the war in the east ended.

These are remarkable admissions in

Rumania the war in the east ended. had discovered and thwarted attempts of sixty-five motors for combat planes were derman capital to secure control of vessured over to be put into battle planes sels owned or under construction in the during the last week of March while in peace treaties and discussing them in tion to an important factor in the Austral of the construction in the Austral of the Cons sels owned or under construction in the full terms of the first states, for present profit as well as to provide Germany with a merchant fact or the war. To enlarge the powers of the board to deal with such attempts is one of the chief purposes of the proposed laws.

Additional Authority.

Besides authorizing the President to the full terms of the programme.

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## Bread Supply Low.

whether regarding ships; guns or shoes, and that the sirplane work has not been so much retarded as other industries.

The prime cause of the delay, it is explained, was the bard winter and lack of coal, which hit each and every war industry in about the same proportion.

Cowgill Kansas City Mayor

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to himself, however, that Vienna is more
At 8 o'clock in the evening the streets last
favorable soil for sowing the seed for of Vienna are virtually empty. Public
a general peace. Perhaps he says to lighting has been almost discontinued in a general peace. Perhaps he says to lighting has been almost discontinued himself that the Austro-Hungarian and the regul lons for being abroad monarchy has the good fortune to possesse a grader curfew are practically equal to seem a ruler who sincerely and hon-those under martial law. Street railway estly desires a general peace, but who care no longer run at regular litervals never will commit a breach of faith or conclude a dishonorable peace, and service. The informant was the only that behind the Emperor-King there person in Vienna who had good footare 55,000,000 people.

The said. Women wear skirts and NOVON CATHERDAT DIDNING. that behind the range of the said women wear, he said. Women wear out to himself, that this united mass represents a force which is not to be unsubstant.

The German papers, while reporting was a force which is honest and the German papers, while reporting the said.

resents a force which is not to be unuerestimated and that this honest and
strong desire for peace which binds the
the Enneror Karls tour of Bohemia do
monarchs, governments and peoples of
both states is capable of being the
hearer of that great idea in the service of which he has placed himself."

Referring to his last speech, Count
Czernin explained the misunderstanding
of his remark that the text was already
in the President's possession by declaring that he previously had arranged for
the text to be telegraphed to WashingVienna are being sent thither.

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were the cause of the royal visit. The
Vienna papers admit that owing to
actual starvation the death rate is enormous, diseases are rampant (doubtless
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the french hombardment for Blaze. the text to be telegraphed to Washing-ton from an unofficial source in a neu-tral country in order to prevent any misunderstanding or distortion. It sub-sequently transpired, however, that the

text arrived at its destination some days local conditions give a better chance of later. Nevertheless, he said, the order saving their lives, was attained. He then continued: The Vienna papers on Thresday pub-"I can only say that I esteem it highly that the German Chancellor. In his exteel a telegram from the Hungarian that the German Chancellor. In his exteel a telegram from the Hungarian that the German Chancellor. In his exteel a telegram from the Hungarian boat destroyer was sune April I as the four principles developed in that the four principles developed in the patriotic feelings of the Hungarian developed in the patriotic f 11 formed the basis upon which a gen-relief of Rohemia and other parts of eral peace could be discussed. I am in Austria, especially Vienna." The agency entire agreement with this. tire agreement with this.

"The four points laid down by the story is not true. It adds: "Discussigned are a suitable basis on which sions now proceeding between the Aus." to begin the discussion for a general trian and Hungarian Governments con-

## TOLL OF DEATH 57,400 GERMANS British Regain Ayette and French Extend Gains Bo STUNS GERMANS OF 108,000 LOST

British Confirmed by Figures Newly Received.

FOOD SCARCE IN AUSTRIA HUGE LOSS OF OFFICERS

Disease Rampant in Bohemia One Division, the 208th, Reduced 70 P. C., and Many Others More Than Half.

> Special Cubie Desputch to THE SIX. Coppeight, 1918; all rights reserved LONDON, April 3.—The "Daily Express," in its despatches from the froat to-day, tells of the frightful cost that was paid in lives by the Germans in their latest drive.

### By PERCIVAL PHILLIPS.

BRITISH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN mans are still bringing up their guns Elivalet, and Hangard-en-Santerre. This informant, whose statements are and counting their dead, and the fright-

or 5,000 persons gathered outside of the hospital and commenced a demonstration in favor of peace.

Summarized, their speeches and shouts

The average company strength of the First Division was tedaced to per cent.

The 119th Division last 's strength March IN 14 800 ment. The Porty-fifth Reserve Division was

of the agures gives by Mr. Phillips for huge losses, than at the beginning of

## BERTLING WEDS ON EVE OF INTERNMENT

New York Teacher Is Bride of German Agent.

Boston, April 3 Receipt of order from Washington to infern be Karl soon will begin again.

Oscar Bertling as an enemy shen was The Cologne Guerte says it learns: Oscar Bertling as an enemy stien was autounced here to-dux. It. Bertling, from Bertlin that the paise was a newho was sent to this country by the creatly it asserts that the storms German Government in August, 1814.

Weather of the last few days bas greatly as a propagation, was arrested in Lexington Friday night and has been confined in the East Cambridge jail. He the half in the tailan campaign when will start for Forr Oglethorpe, Georgia. The Tagliamento fiver was reached by to-morrow.

separate Vienna from Berlin, and he tribution system has been introduced, interament camp. It Berling mar-inows, too, that that would be impossible rations being obtained daily at red Miss Relen Glotz, who lives near sible. Perhaps President Wilson says the children's food bureau.

Gramercy Park, it was learned here fred Miss Relen Glotz, who lives hear Gramery Park, it was fearned here last night. The ceremony was per- teatize that we intend to go on with the formed to Lexington Mass, yesterday A semi-official despatch from Berlin says the Rev. John M. Witin the home of the Rev. John M. Wil-son, paster of the Unitarian Church there. Miss Glotz left New York for

## NOYON CATHEDRAL BURNING

Germans Blame French Bombard

the eleventh-twelfth centuries

## BRITISH DESTROYER SUNK. All on Board Saved After Collision.

Says Admiratty.

MONTREAL, April 3. Returns to-day and Hungarian Governments con-exclusively the provisioning of the time. His majority was 7,276 over Jo-

French Extend Gains Below Montdidier.

ENEMY ATTACKS FAIL

They Obtain a Few Local Successes, but Are Repulsed in Others.

ATRMEN BOMB GERMANS

Thirteen Tons of Projectiles Dropped on Ham, Chauny and Noyon.

Lospon, April 2.- This has been the quietest day on the battle front in France since the grand offensive began March 21, thirteen days ago. Field Marshal The storming divisions were liferally Haig reports to-night no change in the situation; the French night report says there was no infantry action to-day. but rather violent artillery activity in cially between Demuin, on the Luce

In the figating yesterday and Mon-

Nothing that has yet been written has Moreuit, between Moriset and Mailtywas to be continued the war should be stopped immediately.

Members of the Red Cross addressed the crowd telling the men that if they would disperse quietly their demands would be attended to, but if they continued their noise and their shouting.

The Twentieth Dissiption lost over 56 and took some prisoners. In this operant, though the respectively of Rodon, on the southern side of the Montdidier salient, a tierman effort was stopped by the French fire, and in the solon since Mark 21 have amounted to 70 her cent. (8,400 men.)

The Twentieth Dissiption lost over 56 and took some prisoners. In this operant, though the French made a successful local attack and took some prisoners. In this operant, the first operant the first tion the French materially extended

The Fritieth Reserve Division was annihilated (12,000 men).

The Eighty-eighth Division lost 30 per cent, of its strength on the first day and an additional 40 per cent of the in the Version Sector and in the Central

to do with the ball in the battle, but despite unfavorable conditions the atr-There are cropping up unofficial and voluntary organizations offering to tell to President what is wrong and how is should be corrected. Alan It Hawley president of the Aero Club, in a long letter the President of the Aero Club, in a long letter the President of the Aero Club, in a long letter the President of the Aero Club, in a long letter the President of the Aero Club, in a long letter the President of the Aero Club, in a long letter the President of the Aero Club, in a long letter the President of the Aero Club, in a long letter the President of the Aero Club, in a long letter shape, and the German's naturally letter the President of the Aero Club, in a long letter shape, and the German's naturally letter the President of the President of

> the offensive tended their line which ended at Moreull Thennes, heat the Luce rivulet and not far from Lemnin, where some of the flercest fighting of last week or-This extension enables the British to shorten their portion of the

## Weather Deinyed Transports.

German newspapers received at Am-sterdam assert that the marked de-crase in the fighting was made necessars by the bad weather, but that it

Or Bertling was closely connected. The Cologne People's Galetic asserts with Count you Bernstorff, former German Ambassador to the United States. command and not to any success by the Entence Allies. The correspondent adds that the roads until he repaired and munitions and circuits sent up to the fighting forces, and continues.
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he oficial statements on the situation on the buttle front in France BRITISH (NIGHT). The day again bassed comparatively quietly on the whole battle from There was local sting last hight and this morning the neighborhood of Feuchy and Helaterne, we captured two machine gut a many tier mans were killed. The number of prisoners taken yessur-re-ful operations at

A cite was 192, including six officers. There is nothing further of special RRITISH (DAY) At dawn yesterstay a determined attack made by a scrong party of the enemy against our position in the neighborhood of Fampoux was repulsed after sharp fighting. A number of German dead and a few prisoners were left in our A successful local operation was undertaken by us last night in the neighborhood of Ayette, which is now

OUT DORSESSION More than 100 prisoners and three machine guns were captured by us. We secured a few prisoners vester day through the enterprise in the neighborhood of Serie, already re-

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